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FOLLOWING PRESENT STATUS PROJECTS IN CPP WHICH POST PLANNING
IMPLEMENT DURING FY'77:

A. PERMANENT STAFF, MIN. RURAL DEVELOPMENT:

1. PROPOSAL CALLS FOR THREE IV GRANTEES. POST PLANS SUBMIT
TO DEPARTMENT FEBRUARY TWO CANDIDATES TO STUDY AND OBSERVE
AGRICULTURAL MARKETING AND AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION WORK. IF
MULTIREGIONAL PROJECT NOTED REF B SCHEDULED IN 1977 POST
WILL ALSO SEEK CANDIDATE FOR PROJECT, PROVIDED SUFFICIENT FUNDS
AVAILABLE.
2. PROPOSAL FOR AMSPEC OR SHORT-TERM FULBRIGHTER TO LECTURE
ON AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION WORK. THIS TERMED PRIORITY BY UNZA
AND CONSIDERED SAME BY POST. WOULD HOPE CANDIDATE CAN BE RECRUITED
BY DEPARTMENT.

B. UNIVERSITY OF ZAMBIA STAFF SUPPORT:

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1. PROPOSAL CALLS FOR THREE U.S. PROFESSORS AND POST
UNDERSTANDS RECRUITMENT UNDERWAY. DEPARTMENT HAS ALREADY ARRANGED
FOR SHORT-TERM FULBRIGHTER IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION (BRYANT)
AND IS SUBMITTING MID-DECEMBER REQUEST FROM UNZA FOR SHORT-TERM
LECTURER IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS OR COMPARATIVE POLITICS,
A PROJECT TO WHICH THE POST ATTACHES HIGHEST PRIORITY. UNIVERSITY

ALSO SEEKING SERVICES OF ADDITIONAL U.S. PROFESSOR IN GEOGRAPHY FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 1977-78. THIS NOTED IN LETTER FROM PAO TO CU/AF ROVERS OF OCT. 29, 1976, BUT AT PRESENT POST NEEDS KNOW IF 1977 ALLOCATION SUFFICIENT COVER THIS EXCHANGE, AS WELL AS THREE OTHER U.S. PROFESSORS NEXT YEAR.

2. STUDENT RENEWAL FOR STAFF DEVELOPMENT FELLOW GRANTEE LEO C. MDALA CURRENTLY STUDYING AT COLORADO SCHOOL OF MINES. REQUEST DEPARTMENT CONTACT MDALA TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER HE CONTINUING STUDIES TO COMPLETE PH.D. OR RETURNING TO ZAMBIA FOR FIELD RESEARCH PRIOR COMPLETING DISSERTATION.

3. POST HAS FINALLY RECEIVED APPROVAL FROM UNIVERSITY TO PROCEED WITH FORMAL PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION OF PLACEMENT SERVICE FOR UNIVERSITY STAFF DEVELOPMENT GRANTEE STUDYING IN U.S. AFTER MEETING SCHEDULED FOR DECEMBER 22, WITH UNZA STAFF DEVELOPMENT OFFICER, POST WILL ADVISE PROGRESS TO DEPARTMENT.

C. ORIENTATION OF POLITICAL LEADERS:

1. THE POST PROPOSAL CALLS FOR THREE IVS DRAWN FROM AMONG YOUNGER POLITICAL LEADERS TO PARTICIPATE IN THREE OF THE MULTIREGIONAL PROJECTS PROPOSED IN REF B: INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC RELATIONS, THE WORKING WOMAN, AND URBAN AFFAIRS.

2. AMSPECS REQUESTED ON "INFLUENCES SHAPING AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY" AND "NORTH-SOUTH ECONOMIC ISSUES". POST ACCORDS HIGH PRIORITY TO SPEAKER ON ECONOMIC ISSUES AND WILL SUBMIT DETAILED PROPOSAL TO DEPARTMENT AND USIA. POST HOPEFUL THAT IF SHORT-TERM FULBRIGHTER RECRUITED IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS FOR UNCLASSIFIED

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UNZA AS SUGGESTED PARA B-1, HE/SHE WOULD ALSO BE AVAILABLE FOR ADDITIONAL PROGRAMMING AND THEREBY SATISFY THIS REQUIREMENT.

D. PERM. STAFF DEPARTMENTS OF SOCIAL WELFARE AND COMMUNITY

DEVELOPMENT:

PROPOSAL CALLS FOR FOUR PARTICIPANTS IN 1977 CIP PPROJECT. CANDIDATES WERE SELECTED IN OCTOBER AND APPLICATIONS FORWARDED TO DEPARTMENT.

(3. INFLUENTIAL LEGAL PRACTITIONER:

POST RECEIVED THIS WEEK NOMINATION FORMS FOR SW LEGAL FOUNDATION 1977 PROGRAM. WORKING THROUGH INFORMAL COMMITTEE OF FORMER PARTICIPANTS FROM ZAMBIA AN APPLICATION FOR AWARD FROM SWLF PROJECT FROM LUSAKA CHIEF MAGISTRATE BEING FORWARDED DIRECTLY TO DALLS. AS IN PAST POST WISHES CONTINUE TWO CANDIDATES

-- ONE FROM GOVERNMENT, ONE FROM PRIVATE SECTOR -- BUT BEFORE PROCEEDING WITH SECOND NOMINEE FOR TRAVEL GRANT NEED KNOW IF DEPARTMENT CAN PROVIDE FUNDING FOR TWO TRAVEL GRANTS FOR THIS PROJECT IN FY'77.

F. THE PRESS:

1. IV GRANT FOR PARTICIPANT FOR STANFORD UNIVERSITY JOURNALIST PROGRAM. POST AWAITING AIRGRAM PROVIDING DETAILS BEFORE PROCEEDING WITH NOMINATION.

2. POST WILL SUBMIT NOMINATION ON OR ABOUT MARCH 1 FOR IV GRANT FOR SECOND JOURNALIST.

3. SHORT-TERM U.S. PROFESSOR TO WORK AT EVELYN HONE COLLEGE OF JOURNALISM. SUBMITTING DETAILED PROPOSAL.

G. PERM. STAFF, MIN. EDUCATION:
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1. IV GRANT FOR CURRICULUM SPECIALIST. ACCOMPLISHED:
MR. K. C. CHALI.

2. AAUW PROJECT: WILL SOLICIT NOMINATIONS FOR 1977 PROGRAM UPON RECEIPT AIRGRAM CALLING FOR SUCH.

3. EDUCATIONAL TRAVEL GRANTS: CALL FOR NOMINATION TO PARTICIPATE IN OCA VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL, EDUCATION PROJECT, AND YOUTH LEADERSHIP PROGRAM FORWARDED TO FOREIGN MINISTRY WITH JANUARY 15 DEADLINE FOR NOMINATIONS.

OTHERS:

POST SUBMITTED TO DEPARTMENT NOMINATION OF PRINCIPAL CANDIDATE AND ALTERNATES FOR AFRICAN SR. RESEARCH SCHOLAR AWARD.
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